

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q92027

Eiju SUZUKI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/562,157

Group Art Unit: 1713

Confirmation No.: 6585

Examiner: Fred M. Teskin

Filed: December 23, 2005

For: BUTADIENE-BASED POLYMER AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME AS  
WELL AS RUBBER COMPOSITION AND TIRE USING THE SAME

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 25, 2008 to September 25, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1050.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



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